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found in Claim 4 as filed. A VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE is attached in which deletions are shown within brackets and additions are underlined.

Conclusion

In light of the Applicant's amendments to the claims, it is respectfully submitted that the present application is in condition for allowance. Should the Examiner have any remaining concerns which might prevent the prompt allowance of the application, the Examiner is respectfully invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number appearing below.

Respectfully submitted,

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VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

4. (Amended Five Times) The isolated polypeptide of Claim 1, wherein said peptide has at least one pair of disulfide bonded cysteine residues selected from the group consisting of:

- (i) Cys₇₁ - Cys₁₈₉; and
- (ii) [Cys₂₅₇] ~~Cys₂₅₉~~ - Cys₂₇₀,

wherein said cysteine residues are identified in SEQ ID NO:4.

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